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1. I UNDERSTAND FROM REF (B) THAT LEGAL ADVISER'S OFFICE REQUESTS THAT EMBASSY CABLE FULL TEXT OF GOH DECREES EXPROPRIATING 35,000 ACRES OF UNITED BRANDS' LAND. THIS DOES NOT APPEAR FEASIBLE, HOWEVER, SINCE TEXT COVERS 33 PAGES. TRANSMITTING AND SERVICING SUCH A VOLUME OF DOCUMENTS IN SPANISH WOULD REQUIRE THREE TO FOUR DAYS.

2. WE ARE THEREFORE AIRPOUCHING TOMORROW MORNING FULL SPANISH TEXT OF DECREES, ADDRESSED MS. HICKS, ARA/LA-CEN-HONDURAS, ROOM 4913. POUCH SHOULD ARRIVE DEPARTMENT EARLY NEXT WEEK. UNITED BRANDS' REPRESENTATIVES WHO CALLED ON ME THIS MORNING ALSO PROMISED THAT COMPANY'S HEAD OFFICE WILL PROVIDE SUMMARY AND VIRTUALLY FULL TEXT OF DECREES TO CEN/H.
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